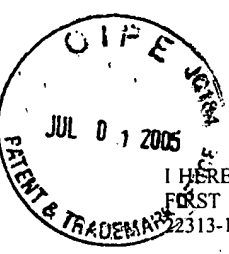


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AMENDMENT

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Examiner's Office Action, dated March 11, 2005, in the above-identified application. A one-month Petition for Extension of Time is being filed herewith. Kindly amend the above-identified United States patent application, without prejudice, as follows:

Amendments to and Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

Conclusion is on page 16 of this paper.